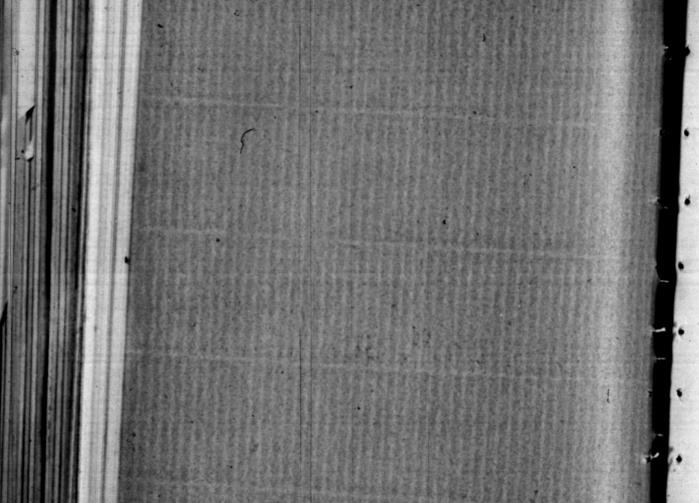
HARMONY Baptist Association, 1900.



MINUTES

OF THE

FIFTY FIRST ANNUAL SESSION

OF THE

Harmony: Baptist Association,

HELD WITH

UNITY BAPTIST CHURCH,

YAZOO COUNTY, MISS.,

OCTOBER 27, 28 AND 29, 1900.

OFFICERS

T. E. Morris, Good Hope,

T. J. Moore, Carthage,

Moderator

Clerk and Treasurer

The next session will be held with Thomastown church, Leake county, beginning on Saturday before the fourth Lord's Day in October, 1901.

BRANDON, MISS.
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1900.

Ordained Ministers Their Postoffice.

A. B. HILL	
T. J. MOORE	Camden.
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	Good Hope.
W. B. BRANTLEY	
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B. F. MILLER	Deasonville.

PROCEEDINGS.

First Day Morning Session.

DEASONVILLE, MISS.

On the morning of October 2, 1000, at 10 o'clock, the Harmony Baptist Association met in its rifty first annual session, with Unity Baptist Church.

After conducting devotional exercises, which consisted of a song, reading of the 120th Psalm, and prayer, T. E. Morris, Moderator of last session called the body to order.

H. A. Stovall and T. J. Bailey were appointed to read the letters from the churches.

A committee on Finance was appointed, composed of B. W. Ferguson, J. M. Flowers and J. R. Ellington. Delegates names representing churches were recorded as follows, and they seated as members of the body:

Carthage-A. B. Hill.

Mt. Carmel-A. M. Ward.

Standing Pine—C. A. Cox.

Stump Bridge-W. P. Wallace, J. M. Vinson.

Tuscola-A. M. Young.

Thomastown—J. R. Ellington, Walter Carnes, H. H. Johnson, J. F. Bright.

Walnut Grove-B. W. Ferguson, C. P. Munday.

Wake Forest-W. B. Lee, T. J. Ellington

Center Hill-J. H. Carpenter, J. B. Fulton, M. D. Allen.

Friendship—H. A. Stovall, W. S. Slay, S. A. Moore, T. J. Moore, E. J. Hill.

New Hope-T. J. Ward, J. Z. Grimes, R. M. Hendrick.

Camden-Not represented.

New Providence-J. M. Flowers.

Unity-S. H. Elam, W. E. Daniels

Lottville-B. F. Legget.

Cross Roads-C. C. Anderson, Jr., Charles Allen.

Union (Choctaw)-Rufus York.

Good Hope (Leake)-T. E. Morris, H. Collier, G. W. Nutt, G. M. Bowling, J. N. Denson.

Good Hope (Madison)-J. P. Gober, J. G. Brewer, W. R. Barrett.

Mt. Zion (Choctaw)-Thomas Anderson.

Hebron-O. B. Thornton.

Hopewell (Choctaw)-F. P. S. Thombee, Scott York.

Cedar Grove-J. A. Watkins, Jack Brooks.

Bethany (Choctaw)-Will Jimmy, Silman Bell.

Rocky Point-W. P. Dorrill.

Hopewell-J. M. Ellington, F. M. Ellington, A. Y. Foster.

The body being declared ready for permanent organization, by motion of J. N. Denson, A. V. Rowe was instructed to cast the ballot of the body for T. E. Morris for Moderator, and T. J. Moore, Clerk and Treasurer.

By motion the Association took a recess of one and a half hours for refreshments.

First Day-Afternoon Session.

It being in order, the introductory sermon was preached by A. B. Hill.

A committee on Devotional Exercises was appointed as lows: J. N. Denson, A. F. Young, H. Collier, with pastor and deacons of Unity church.

A call for petitionary letters. No response.

Corresponding messengers were seated from the following bodies:

Yazoo Association--B. F. Miller, W. F. Wood, W. J. Wadlington, T. J. Bailey.

State Board-A. V. Rowe.

Hopewell Association-H. C. Meyors.

Central Association-C. M. Chatman.

Harmony Baptist Institute-H. A. Stovall.

Mississippi College-T. J. Bailey.

By unanimous consent, T. J. Bailey was given time to talk about our state paper, THE BAPTIST.

Committee on Devotional Exercises made their report.

RETURNED CORRESPONDENCE.

Be it resolved, That any member or members of any church or churches that belong to this body, who may be present at the meetings of other bodies, with which we are in correspondence, are hereby authorized to act as messengers from us.

A. B. Hill was elected delegate to the Southern Baptist Convention, and T. E. Morris alternate.

Sunday-Morning Sesssion.

At 10, devotional exercises conducted by G. W. Nutt. 10:30. Report on Sunday Schools, read by H. A. Stovall, who led an interesting discussion participated in by J. N. Denson and others. The speakers especially urged that churches see to it that full annual reports of the schools appear in their letters to the Association.

The hour set for preaching arrived and the Moderator suspended further business.

At 11 o'clock, A. V. Rowe preached to a very large and attentive congregation from a text found in Romans

1:14. At close of sermon a collection was taken for general missions which amounted to \$15.15.

Sunday-Afternoon Session.

At 2:30 the congregation was called together and T. J. Bailey preached, using as his subject "The Human Side of Salvation."

The sermon was followed by a Choctaw service by six Indian delegates of this tribe, in which they sang, prayed and preached in their own language, interspersed by interpretations and other talks in broken English. At the close a collection amounting to \$5.50 was taken for Indian Missions.

Third Day-Morning Session.

After a song and prayer, the Association was called to order by the Moderator at 8:30.

The minutes of the Saturday and Sunday sessions were read by the Clerk and approved by the body.

Report on Sunday Schools was further discussed, and then the motion to adopt, which was already before the body, was carried:

Report on Sunday Schools.

We, your committee, submit the following report:

We note with concern a great lack of interest in the Sunday school work by the church membership at large. Very few of our churches are able to enlist more than one-fourth to one-third of their membership in this work. On the other hand we note with pleasure an increase in the number of churches supporting Sunday schools. This is a hopeful sign. A live Sunday school denotes a live church, and a live church is awake to all our denominational interests. As a rule, the strength of the Sunday

school's working force indicates the working force of the church.

"Train up a child in the way he should go" is a divine injunction, and the Sunday school accomplishes this end, as is shown by the reports from the churches this year. More than 50 per cent. of the additions to our churches comes directly from the Sunday school. Then, since the importance of the work is thus emphasized by actual results, let us arouse ourselves and bend our every energy to the success of this great work.

We heartily recommend the Southern Baptist Convention Series of Sunday School Helps to all our churches and schools. First, because it is our own. Second, because every dollar realized by the board, goes to the advancement of our different denominational interests.

H. A. STOVALL,
J. WATKINS,
F. M. ELLINGTON,
Committee.

Report on Mississippi Baptist Orphanage.

The Chairman of Committee on the Baptist Orphanage at Jackson, read the following report, and pending the motion to adopt a collection was taken for the Orphans to the amount of —. The motion was then voted on and carried:

We, your committee on Orphans' Home, beg leave to report as follows:

The care of the Orphan Children is one of the works that the Lord has enjoined upon his people. The Baptists of Mississippi have established an Orphans' home at Jackson, which is conducted by Bro. L. S. Foster. They have thirty-three Orphan children in the home; the property consists of 112 acres of land, which has more than doubled in value since it was purchased, and two cottages on the land. Bro. Foster has, the past summer, had a deep well put down, which affords plenty pure water for all purposes. He is depending upon the friends of the Orphans for money to carry on the work of taking care of them. He wants to build a brick building at a cost of \$10,000, and will need the help of every brother

and sister to do this work. We would recommend that pastors in this Association take collections in their churches for this grand and noble work.

Respectfully submitted,

G. W. NUTT,

C. C. ANDERSON,

O. B. THORNTON, Committee.

Executive Board Report.

A report from the Executive Board of the Association was read and approved as follows:

The extremely inclement weather prevented your Executive Board from holding meetings at two of its appointments. We held one very interesting and profitable meeting with New Providence church.

The report hereby submitted, of our Associational Missionary, T. J. Moore, will give you all necessary information in regard to our missionary work.

T. E. MORRIS, Chairman.

T. J. MOORE, Secretary.

Report of T. J. Moore as Missionary of the Harmony Association:

Dear Brethren:—The extreme rainy weather in the winter and spring months, and, indeed, up to almost midsummer, was a great hindrance to me in my missionary work, by causing so much high water to obstruct my reaching appointments. I have, however, besides keeping up my monthly appointment at Tuscola, our mission church, preached at the following points: At Lottville, two sermons; at Salem, two sermons; at Bluff Springs, one sermon; at Good Hope, one sermon; at Ridge, four

Tuscola has been greatly blessed. Its membership has more than doubled this year. My visits to the churches mentioned above. I think did good.

The point mentioned above as Ridge, is about four miles south of Walnut Grove, and south of Tuscolameta creek, in the midst of a small but prosperous community, cut off by natural boundaries from the surrounding communities. Settled there were some twenty Baptists, and by their request I gave them an appointment. After fill-

ing the appointment once, I got Bro. E. J. Hill to continue it. On the third Sunday in July last, a was constituted. I have visited and preached three sermons to the church since its constitution. It has now — members and bids fair to do well. They have petitioned membership with the Scott County Association, it being more convenient to them than the Harmony. It was my purpose to hold a meeting of some days in the Bluff Springs community, but the co-operation of the people there has not yet proven sufficiently strong to the holding of a meeting. I still hope the way may soon open for the establishment of our Master's cause in that community

I visited Cedar Grove church last third Sunday and preached to a good and appreciative congregation. While the church is young and weak in members and financial ability, it has the elements of growth, and is doing a good work.

The pastors of our Association have rendered very hearty and effectual assistance in the work.

T. J. MOORE.

Report on Publications.

By request of the Chairman, T. J. Bailey read the report of Committee on Publications.

Pending the motion to adopt, some interesting talks were made, in which our excellent paper—the Baptist—was very favoraby commented upon. Following is the report as adopted:

As that which one reads is a very large factor in the development of his character, and in the determination of his destiny, the selection of reading matter is of very great importance. To the making of books there is no end in this age of the world, and trashy and pernicious periodicals fairly flood the country. It is really a difficult question to know just what one should not read. But your committee feels safe in recommending most heartily the Baptist, our own State paper, published at Jackson, under the editorial management of our Brother, T. J. Bailey. It brings to our people important information concerning Baptist affairs in Mississippi, and keeps our people posted with reference to the work and needs of the

Convention Board. As a medium of communication from the Board to the people, the Baptist is indispensable. We urge that every Baptist who possibly can do so, will take and read the Baptist. It is eminently worthy of our support, and we can make our paper equal to the best in the land, and better than any for Mississippi Baptists.

We also recommend to the churches of this Association the Foreign Mission Journal, Richmond, Va.; Our Home Field, Atlanta; the Sc thern Baptist Convention Literature, Nashville, and the Orphanage Gem, Jackson. Your committee would recommend the Bible as both the foundation and curbstone of all reading matter. It is, of course, first, middle, last and all the way through, in all, under all and over all.

There are many other good periodicals, and many good books published, but as we cannot mention all by name, and do not wish to discriminate, we refrain from naming any except the above.

W. P. DORRILL.

Report on Missions.

A report on missions was read, and after being very instructively discussed by our Corresponding State Board Secretary, A. V. Rowe, it was adopted:

Your committee on Missions report as follows: As shown by the letters from the churches that there has been some increase in missions this year. Our Association contributed last year for State, Home and Foreign Missions \$389.05, whereas, this year about \$400. It is the laudable purpose of all our Boards to enlarge their work. Look out on the field that is white unto harvest, and see the urgent need, "Go ye, therefore, into all the world." Both the Home and Foreign Boards are anxious to send out more laborers into the fields. There are at home holy men of God who, realizing that they cannot "preach except they be sent," are saying here "Here am I, send And then there are those who have forsaken their native land and are in the thickest of the fight on the Lord's battle-field, whose implements of war is 'the Gospel of the Son of God, which is, therefore not 'carnal but Spiritual,' whose every pulsation is clamoring for reinforcements. Brethren, shall they be reinforced?

Your committee would further recommend that every.

pastor in this Association preach Missions, talk Missions and pray Missions.

We furthermore observe that our people are not as well informed about our Missionary enterprises as they should be. We therefore urge that all our people take the Home Field and the Foreign Mission Journal.

Respectfully,

A. B. HILL, C. P. MUNDAY, J. G. BREWER,

Committee.

Report of Trustees.

The annual report of the Trustees of Harmony Baptist Institute at Lena, was read, and after some discussion, was adopted as follows:

Dear Brethren: It affords us much pleasure to announce to you that your school is in a very prosperous condition.

Notwithstanding the many unavoidable difficulties with which the institution had to contend during last session it was in many respects a very successful session. The local patronage increased 25 per centum or more. Both patrons and students were highly pleased with the discipline and progress of the pupils. The school made advancement in the esteem of the public and opened the way for the present prosperous session.

Our faculty for this session consists of the following: Prof. J. F. Parkinson, principal: Prof. H. A. Stovall, first assistant; Miss Zella Slay, head of primary department; Miss Bertha Parkinson, primary assistant; Miss Erwin Morris, music teacher, and Miss Maud Chester, elocution.

This session was opened on the 4th of September with 82 pupils present, and the roll now numbers 99 with an average attendance during the second month of 95. The school has 30 boarding students and the number is increasing each week. Financially, it is fully self-supporting.

The buildings are in good repair and comfortable. The discipline of the school is scarcely surpassed anywhere.

The instruction is thorough and of the highest order in all

the departments.

Religious advantages are keeping pace with the growth of the school. The Sunday School is well equipped, well attended and very interesting. The mid-week prayer meeting is perhaps as well attended and as profitably conducted as any in our state. The young men's prayer meetings on Sunday evenings are, under the judicious management of Prof. Stovall, serving a good purpose in the development of our young men for engaging in and conducting public worship.

The school is clear of debt and has a small balance to its credit. Tuition still ranges from \$1.50 to \$3.00 a month. Music \$3 and elecution \$2. Board \$6 to \$7 per

The term of office as trustee of Rev. A. B. Hill expires at this meeting of your body.

Respectfully submitted,

A. L MORRIS, Chairman. T. J. MOORE, Secretary.

The body took recess for one hour for dinner.

Third Day-Afternoon Session.

Called to order by Moderator. At his request by motion O. B. Thornton, delegate from Hebron, was excused from further attendance of the session.

Report on Mississippi College and Ministerial Education was read and after hearing some good speeches, on the subject of the report, the Association adopted it as follows:

Report on Mississippi College and Ministerial Education.

Your committee on Ministerial Education and Mississippi College report the following:

Mississippi College is a grand educational centre for Baptists, and when we remember the many grand men who have gone out from her walls, as a benediction to

the Baptist cause, we think it should be the pride of every Baptist heart.

This noble institution has had a prosperous open-

ing at the present session

Its enrollment on its opening day numbered 216 students. This large number was in attendance notwithstanding the very short crops, and consequent straightened circumstances of our people. The present number than was ever in attendance at any session in all its previous history. Hence the college receipts this year will meet all the current expenses of the institution—for which we should thank God and take courage.

There are now of this number 33 ministerial students

in attendance.

These ministerial students act as ballast in improving the general morale of the college boys, and are helpful in

many ways in preserving orderly discipline.

Many of these young men called of God, and who feel "Woe is me if I preach not the Gospel" are needy, and are deserving the prayers, the sympathy, and material aid of the Baptists of Mississippi. Everyone, therefore, who may feel inclined to aid them in any substantial way, should unhesitatingly do so, realizing in the light of past experience, that no money could be spent that would more greatly redound to the Baptist cause than the education of these young ministers.

The need of an educated ministry was never greater than it is now, if by education is meant the cultivation of the spiritual as well as the intellectual nature. We ask, therefore, the churches of Harmony Association to remember these young preachers in their prayers, and that each church should occasionally take up a collection for

their benefit.

Also that the College is in debt to the amount of about \$4,000 on account of building and repairs, and the Board respectfully asks aid from the churches to liquidate this indebtedness. A small sum from each church would soon lift this debt.

Respectfully submitted,

J. N. DENSON, G. W. NUTT, S. H. ELAM

Committee.

Report on Apportionment.

Amount each church is asked to try to raise during the year. As the money is collected, let the church clerk send it on to A. V. Rowe, Winona, Miss.

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LIST OF OUR DEAD.

Martha Adams,
A. J. Heath,
T. D. McCollough,
Polly Merchant,
Carrie Wallace,
Miss Alice Barrow,
Amanda Brooks,
J. D. Bell,

Irvin Gilbert,
R. Pallett,
Allzada Frasier,
C. H. Coleman,
T. N. Ware,
Sarah Peel,
J. N. Lesley,
E. Blailock.

MINUTES OF HARMONY

Account of T. J. Moore, Treasurer

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Report on Queries and Requests.

The report on Queries and Requests was read and adopted:

We find no queries, but we find two requests for the next meeting of the Association, one from New Hope and one from Thomastown. We recommend that our next meeting be held with Thomastown church.

Respectfully submitted.

J. H. CARPENTER, G. M. BOWLING, TON ANDERSON,

Committee.

Report on Temperance.

The Committee on Temperance read their report, and after remarks by T. G. Ward and T. G. Bailey, the report was adopted as follows:

To the Harmony Baptist Association at its Fifty-first Session: Your Committee on Temperance beg leave to make the following report:

Temperance is a subject that should concern and actively influence every Baptist and Christian of all other denominations throughout the State and Union, and never let up until the nation is freed from the making and selling of intoxicating liquors. It appears to us that the use of intoxicants is one of the greatest evils of the present day; that it causes more diseases, more poverty, more crimes, more heartaches, and tears than any other habit that man falls heir to.

We would urge the co-operation of every Christian and true citizen to aid our officers in convicting every person that is unlawfully dealing in intoxicating liquors. The mothers and young ladies of our country have it in their own power, if they would only use it, to reform every young man, or old, who cares anything for himself, who is addicted to the habit of dram-drinking, and would ask them to use their influence in the cause of Temperance.

Respectfully submitted,

T. G. WARD, J. G. GILMORE, W. P. CARNES,

Committee.

J. N. Denson requested and was granted leave of absence.

Report of Finance Committee was read and adopted. See Financial table.

Report on Woman's Work.

Report on Woman's Work read, discussed and adopted: Women in organized capacity in the churches of this body, have never received the attention that the importance of the subject demands. Our Lord in his ministry, recognized, used and honored women as a very potent factor in the advancement of His cause. Luke 8th chapter, 1-3 verses, gives us an account, and several of the names of a band of noble women, who took upon themselves the support of Jesus during His earthy ministry. "And the twelve were with Him, and certain women which ministered to him of their substance." And after His death we find them still in union, buying costly spices with which to anoint His body.

The Apostle to the Gentiles, in his epistles, is often pleased to make special mention of the faithful help he received from noble women in planting, sustaining and

furthering the Gospel of Christ.

The Gospel has proven such a power in the improvement of the temporal, not to mention spiritual, condition of this sex of our race, that they ought to feel under special obligations to further it to their unfortunate sisters who are bowed down under the great weight of ignorance, superstition and opprsssion.

We find only three churches reporting women organizations. These are Carthage, Walnut Grove and Friendship, at Lena. From the report we are led to believe that they are doing faithful and effectual work. We recommend that all our churches, and especially our women and pastors, bestir themselves upon this subject, and whenever it is at all practicable see to it that Womens' Mission Unions be organized in our churches. Mrs. Wood, of Meridian, will take pleasure in furnishing all necessary information about organizing and conducting this work, if she simply be applied to for it. Respectfully submitted,

B. F. LEGGETT, R. D. KING. J. M. WARD.

Report on Obituaties.

Committee on Obituaries read a report, which was adopted as follows:

Your Committee on Obituaries beg to report that since your last meeting we find that God has called from labor to rest eighteen of our beloved brethren and sisters. This should remind us to watch and be ready, for we know neither the day nor hour when the Son of Man cometh. We heartily sympathize with the bereaved, though God's will be done.

Following is a list of the dead: Alizada Frasier, Hopewell. C. H. Coleman, Stump Bridge. . R. Pallett, Good Hope, (M.) T. N. Ware, Standing Pine. Sarah Peel, Standing Pine. J. N. Leslie, Thomastown. E. E. Blailock, Thomastown. A. J. Heath, Carthage. T. D. McCollough, Carthage. Polly Merchant, Carthage. Carrie Wallace, Carthage. One-no name, Rocky Point. One-no name, Union Church. J. D. Bell, Good Hope, (L.) Irvin Gilbert, Good Hope. Miss Alice Barrow, Camden. Amanda Brooks, Cedar Grove. Martha Adams, Bethany Church.

Respectfully submitted,
Z. E. HILL,
R. M. HENDRICKS,
W. B. LEE.

Committee.

Report on Nominations.

Report on Nominations read and adopted:

We, your Committee on Nominations, beg leave to submit the following report:
We recommend that Brother T. G. Ward be appointed

to preach the introductory sermon at the next meeting of the Association, and Brother E. J. Hill, alternate.

We recommend that the next meeting of the Executive Board be held with New Hope church, beginning Friday before the 5th Sabbath in December, 1900. We recommend that you appoint the following-named brethren as members of the Executive Board, and that each church be requested to appoint one additional member:

Carthage-J. F. Cadenhead.

Plymouth.

Good Hope (Madison)-J. G. Brewer.

Cedar Grove.

Union, (Choctaw)-Rufus York. Stump Bridge-W. P. Wallace.

Tuscola-Joe Denson.

Center Hill-J. B. Fulton.

Walnut Grove-Charley Munday.

Salem-J. N. Dorrill.

Cross Roads-Charley Anderson.

Rocky Point-G. W. Bobo. Wake Forest-G. W. Moore.

Mt. Carmel-Frank Hill, Jr.

New Providence-Marion Flowers.

Midway-S. W. Moore.

Unity-S. H. Elam.

Standing Pine-C. A. Cox.

Friendship-H. A. Stovall.

Thomastown-Walter Carnes.

Mt. Zion, (Chk)-Tom Anderson.

Camden-B. G. Gerriner.

New Hope-Frank Grimes.

Hopewell, (Chk)-F. P. S. Thombee.

Hopewell-J. W. Fisher.

Hebron-O. B. Thornton.

Good Hope, (Leake)-Walter Morris.

Lottville-B. F. Leggett.

Bethany, (Chk)-Will Jimmie.

We request that each church select their best workers as members of the Executive Board.

Respectfully submitted,

S. A. MOORE.

J. B. FULTON,

C. A. Cox, Committee.

Resolutions Adopted.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That our delegate to Southern Baptist Convention be authorized to draw upon our Treasurer for money to defray all necessary expenses in attending the session.

Resolved, That T. J. Moore be allowed \$15 for his services as Clerk and Treasurer of this body.

Resolved, That the thanks of this body be tendered this church (Unity,) and community for the amiable hospitality so freely given us, both upon the church-ground and in their homes during the entire sitting of this session.

By motion, the Association adjourned to meet with Thomastown Baptist church, fifteen miles south of Kosciusko, on the Illinois Central branch railroad, and about same distance east from Pickins or Goodman, on Illinois Central railroad, on Saturday at 9 30 A. M., before the 4th Sunday in October, 1901.

After a song, during the singing of which the delegates and visitors gave each other the parting hand, and a prayer led by W. P. Dorrill, the brethren dispersed, thus closing a good session of the Association.

T. E. MORRIS, Moderator.

T. J. MOORE, Clerk.

Statistical Table.

CHURCHES.	Associational	State Missions	Foreign Missions	Home Missions	Fotal.	Amount Reported as Sent On.	otal
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